

Remarks/Arguments

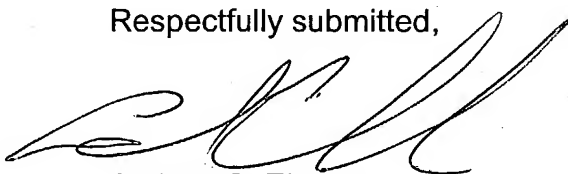
Reconsideration of this application in light of the above amendments and the following remarks is requested. Claims 1-5 and 13-21 have been canceled and claims 6-12 have been maintained in their current form. Claim 22 has been added.

In the Office Action, the Examiner indicated that independent claim 6 contains allowable subject matter. As claim 6 is an independent claim, no rewriting is necessary to place the claim in independent form. Further, since claims 7-12 depend from and further limit independent claim 6, claims 7-12 also contain allowable subject matter. Applicant has canceled claims 1-3 and 17-21. New claim 22 has been added and Applicant respectfully submits that claim 22 contains allowable subject matter.

Additionally, while the Examiner discussed various shortcomings of the prior art, various examples of Applicant's embodiments, and various benefits that may result from such examples, Applicant respectfully submits that the breadth of Applicant's claims is not limited by such shortcomings, examples, and benefits. The Examiner is invited to telephone the applicant's attorney at the number listed below if further assistance can be provided.

A notice of allowance of claims 6-12 and claim 22 is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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